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AMEMBASSY DAMASCUS
AMEMBASSY JIDDA

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BIC/SAD FROM AO BUCHANAN

E.O. 11652: NIA
TAGS: BEXP, IZ
SUBJECT: ARRANGEMENTS FOR VISIT OF PENNSYLVANIA GROUP OF
BUSINESSMEN TO BAGHDAD

1. ADVANCE OFFICERS RESPONSIBILITIES BAGHDAD COMPLETED WITH
EXCEPTIONAL SUPPORT UNDER TRYING CONDITIONS.

2. CONTROL OFFICER DAVID ROBINS. BUSINESS PHONE 96138/39
ADMIN SECRETARY MARJ O'NEILL. NO HOME TELEPHONE NUMBERS.

3. PROGRAM ITINERARY AS FOLLOWS:
18 JUNE SATURDAY ETA 18:55 FLT MS 726. GROUP WILL BE MET
AT AIRPORT BY ROBINS AND ASSISTED THRU FORMALITIES, THEN
TRANSPORTED BY HIRED TAXI TO HOTEL DAR ES SALAAM. HOTEL
HAS AGREED TO PREREGISTRATION OF GROUP MEMBERS TO FACILITATE
CHECK-IN. GROUP DIRECTOR SHOULD PROVIDE PCO WITH ALL PASS-
PORTS AND TICKETS FOR CONFIRMATION OF DEPARTURE FLIGHTS.
19 JUNE SUNDAY: BECAUSE THIS IS LAST STOP AND MEMBERS
WILL UNDOUBTEDLY BE UNUSUALLY FATIGUED, WE HAVE
ONLY SCHEDULED ORIENTATION BRIEFING TO GIVE MEMBERS OPPORTUNITY
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TO RECUPERATE SOMEWHAT FROM THE CUMULATIVE EFFECTS OF THE
CLIMATE AND TRAVEL. BRIEFING WILL BE HELD IN US INTERESTS
SECTION, FROM 13:00 TO 14:30. GROUP WILL BE TRANSPORTED
BY HIRED TAXIS.

20 JUNE, MONDAY: 0800: GROUP MEMBERS WILL BE PICKED UP
AT HOTEL BY PCO AND FSL AND TRANSPORTED IN HIRED TAXIS
TO MEETINGS WITH IRAQI GOVERNMENT MINISTRIES AND STATE

ORGANIZATIONS. INITIAL GROUP MEETINGS WITH SENIOR OFFICIALS WILL BE FOLLOWED BY INDIVIDUAL MEETINGS WITH RELEVANT TECHNICAL OFFICES.

0830-1330: MEETINGS WITH GOI OFFICIALS.

1330-1400: RETURN TO HOTEL.

1400-1600: GROUP LUNCHEON AT LOCAL RESTAURANT WITH IRAQI AND THIRD COUNTRY BUSINESSMEN.

1600-1730: FREE TIME

1730-1930: APPOINTMENTS WITH IRAQI BUSINESSMEN AT HOTEL AND/OR THEIR OFFICES.

2000-2200: RECEPTION AT PRINCIPAL OFFICER'S RESIDENCE.

21 JUNE, TUESDAY: 0800- GROUP MEMBERS WILL BE PICKED UP AT HOTEL FOR ADDITIONAL APPOINTMENTS WITH GOI MINISTRIES AND STATE ORGANIZATIONS.

0830-1330: MEETINGS WITH GOI OFFICIALS

1330-1400: RETURN TO HOTEL.

1400-1600: GROUP LUNCHEON AT LOCAL RESTAURANT WITH IRAQI AND THIRD COUNTRY BUSINESSMEN.

1600-1730: FREE TIME.

1730-2000: APPOINTMENTS WITH IRAQI BUSINESSMEN

22 JUNE, WEDNESDAY.

0800-1330: TIME AVAILABLE FOR FOLLOW-UP APPOINTMENTS WITH GOVERNMENT MINISTRIES AND STATE ORGANIZATIONS AND PRIVATE SECTOR BUSINESSMEN. AT OPTION OF GROUP MEMBERS, TIME WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR VISIT TO HISTORICAL SITES IN BAGHDAD AND ENVIRONS. GROUP WILL SELECT SITE TO BE VISITED AT GROUP'S BRIEFING ON SUNDAY, JUNE 19.

1900: INFORMAL DINNER AT CONTROL OFFICER ROBINS' RESIDENCE. WRAP-UP AND EVALUATION OF VISIT.

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23 JUNE, THURSDAY.

0730: DEPART HOTEL FOR AIRPORT. 0910: SR FLIGHT 377 DEPARTURE FOR GENEVA. OTHER DEPARTURES AS SCHEDULED.

4. BUDGET ESTIMATES:

A. LOCAL TRANSPORTATION BY HIRED TAXISS- OF 3 TAXIS PER 12 HOUR DAY; COST 425 DOLLARS.

?. REPRESENTATION AND HOSPITALITY EXPENSES:

TWO LUNCHEONS ON MONDAY AND TUESDAY. GROUP WILL PAY COSTS FOR IRAQI AND THIRD COUNTRY GUESTS.

COST: 270 DOLLARS.

RECEPTION AT PRINCIPAL OFFICER'S RESIDENCE ON MONDAY EVENING CO-HOSTED BY GROUP AND ACTING PRINCIPAL OFFICER. COST : 105 DOLLARS.

C. OVERTIME FOR 3 EMPLOYEES ESTIMATED TOTAL 35 HOURS.

COST : 215 DOLLARS.

D. MISCELLANEOUS CONTINGENCIES: 85 DOLLARS.

E. TOTAL ESTIMATED EXPENSES: 1100 DOLLARS.

5. AS OF CLOSE OF BUSINESS MAY 31, GOI HAS STILL NOT REPEAT NOT AUTHORIZED VISAS. USINT AND ADVANCE OFFICER AGREE THAT VISIT TO BAGHDAD SHOULD BE CANCELLED IF GOI FONMIN DOES NOT REPEAT NOT AUTHORIZE VISAS BY CLOSE OF BUSINESS MONDAY, JUNE 13. USINT WILL ADVISE AMEMBASSY DAMASCUS BY IMMEDIATE CABLE IF VISAS NOT REPEAT NOT GRANTED.

6. FOR USDOC FROM AO BUCHANAN:
FURTHER RE: AMEMBASSY BONN 08518 AND MY RESPONSE, ITEM 10 OF DAMASCUS SUMMARY CABLE: HAVE NOT YET RECEIVED COLOGNE ACCOMODATION INFO AND WILL FINISH IN JIDDA ON FRIDAY 6/3. PLEASE REQUEST BONN CONFIRM INFO TO ME CARE AMEMBASSY JIDDA PRIOR MY DEPARTURE.

7. DECONTROL UPON RECEIPT.
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